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# Oxford Shows Strong On Starting

Now Big Favorite Over Cambridge for Race Tomorrow -Tuckey's Backers Challenge Wicks-Norwich City Baseball League Meeting.

London, March 21.—The Oxford and Cambridge eights, who will meet in the annual boat race on Wednesday, are putting in the finishing touches at Putney. Both crews were out today practicing short burts against scratch eights. The Oxonians made the better showing and they are now hot favorites in the contest. Most of the afternoon was occupied in practicing starts. In starting Oxford has had the advantage of the light blues all along. There has been some protest by the Riverside clergy against the date of the race, this having been fixed for Wednesday in Holy week, but the presidents of the Oxford and Cambridge boat clubs have declined to change the date, explaining that it was selected. date, explaining that it was selected after very careful consideration with senior members of the university, and was the most suitable that could be chosen. It has been decided, however, not to hold the usual dinner after the race, or to accept any of the official invitations to places of entertainment which have been customary.

MACK IS HOPEFUL. Believes Athletics Will Beat Out Tigers This Year.

Atlanta, Ga., March 21.—Connie Mack is well satisfied with the Athletics and believes that Philadelphia will beat out Detroit for the American league flag this season. Bender, Coombs, Krouse, Morgan and Plank are all in good shape, while Dygert, Hanke, Friene, Forman, Kellogg, Kummer and Atkins are showing rare form.

form.

Eddie Collins is batting in his last year's form and on Friday annexed his first home run of the season. Hartzel, Oldring, Baker, Davis, Murphy and Barry are showing up finely at the bat, while Levinstone and Thomas are catching like veterans. In the three games played with the Atlanta team here Mack's men took all Local Magnates in Session—Managers without much trouble.

Burke Floored Sullivan Twice. New York, March 21.—Sailor Burke, the Brooklyn middleweight, outclassed Jim Sullivan of Boston in a ten round bout before the Olympic A. C. tonight. Burke floored the Boston fighter in the fifth and ninth rounds with a right smash to the jaw, and had decidedly the better of the contest. Jim Sullivan was substituted for Montana Jack Sullivan, who was to

Thread City Looks for Great Sport. Thread City Looks for Great Sport.

(Special to The Bulletin.)

Willimantic, March 21—The San Anderson-Copa Deoro wrestling match has got the fans all agoing in great style. This match will be without doubt the best ever pulled off in this city as far as noted contestants are concerned. Everyone knows that Anderson is a real champion, and the fact that Jack McGrath, the Irish Glant, of Norwich, refused to meet Copa Deoro in a finish match for a side bet of \$100, leads the followers of the

no effect in enlivening the speculation.

The adjournment of the supreme court over the spring holiday disposed of one of these factors. Last week predictions were offered that the supreme court decision in the American Tobaccoce case would be handed down today and would be in favor of the company. This rumor was not without an influence in last week's markets. Its failure of verification today seemed to throw the market into a state almost of suspended animation.

The critical stage of a number of negotiations for labor settlements left a disposition to await the final outcome in these cases. The coal mining prospect had some influence on the soft coal carriers, though a speculative movement has been evident in these stocks for some time past, Chesapeake and Ohlo's acquisition of the Hocking Valley and the convertible bonds offered by Norfolk and Western are inspiring causes for the movements in those stocks. The railroad group as a whole

market.

Bonds were heavy, except for a few

convertible issues for which the cor-responding stocks were strong. Total sales, par value, \$2,925,000. United States bonds were unchang-ed on call.

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Cambridge Mass., March 21.—Archie F. Winter of Webster, a candidates for the Harvard freshman baseball team, broke his leg just below the knee during practice today. He was removed to the Stillman infirmary.

Monday Baseball Results. At Athens, Ga.: New York American Regulars 10, Georgia University 0. At Hot Springs, Ark.: Cincinnati Nationals 9, Boston Americans 3. At Dallas, Tex.: Dallas (Texas league) 3, Cleveland American second

Walked to Hospital.

William Weinert, Theodor Bauck, Elmer Pitcher and Nathan Glassman started at 2 o'clock from Norwich and reached the insane hospital at quarter of 3, walking by the Westerly railroad, this week.

Smith to Try Again.
Wilber Smith of New London anover the round trip from that city to Norwich in about two weeks, and that he will hang up a record for the dis-tance that will be hard to beat.

CITY LEAGUE ELECTS SECRETARY AND SCORER. Have Lineups Outlined.

as good a bunch of ballplayers as can be found right here in the Falls and that team will play on the Falls diamond and that team only. City league managers will please take notice of this fact. We have signed to manage the team one Jack Kane, who, with a few weeks with the team, will ask no odds of any other teams in the city. The Sachems will move into their new club rooms the first of this month and then steps will be taken to fix up the ball diamond of which they are the sole possessors and are then ready for any fast team in this city. As for the use of the diamond, other teams will have to be our opponents. Yours truly, An executive committee meeting of the Norwich City baseball league was held on Monday evening at the C. A. C. rooms, President Whitney presiding, and Managers Larkie of the West Ends, Desmond of the Centrals and Miller of Greeneville attending. Two vacancies were filled by the election of George Donovan as one of the official scorers in place of Jack Fitzpatrick, who resigned, and L. S. Manchester as secretary in place of Bud Counihan, who is now in Providence.

A further limit to the players who might appear in the lineups of the teams was made by barring all who sign national agreement contracts for 1910, but it was provided that the executive committee may, if considered advisable, permit exceptions to this rule.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

# vening after the final time for osting of forfest money. Pickups of the Session. There are three or four local mana-ters looking with longing eye for a ranchise in the league, but four teams as been the limit voted, and the man-ugers are all against a greater num-

Thousands of Men and Women Have Kidney Trouble No one is worrying because the Sa-chems are announcing that they will hold fast to the Falis grounds. A local enthusiast has tendered the use of an-other diamond.

Manager Desmond states that he has signed for the Centrals one of the best pitchers in the city. Hearing that Manager Miller was out in the woods looking for a pennant pole, he asks why not use "Slim" Mcintyre on first base. · and Never Suspect It.

Nature warns you when the track of ealth is not clear. Kidney and bladder trouble compel you to pass water often through the day and get up many times during the night.

Unhealthy kidneys cause lumbago, rheuma-tism, catarrh of the bladder, pain or dull ache in the back, joints or muscles, at times have A fast college pitcher who is ex-pected to get the Greeneville goat is reported to be on Lavarge's lineup. The Falls team will be right there with headache or indigestion, as time passes you may have a sallow complexion, puffy or dark circles under the eyes, sometimes feel as though bells on.

That California find that Manager Larkie had has evaporated to New York state. His name will probably be seen on the payroll of some fast team out there.

In place of his California pitching find, Larkie says the West Ends will have Howlett, the Pomfret star, and a number of other fast men who will balance his nine up strong. Lavarge's night clerk brigade will certainly get theirs when they meet the West Ends. Larkie asks Levarge whaf about those favorite friends and his fast infield stars. Get busy, there are still four weeks to get that dope out of your system. you had heart trouble, may have plenty of am-bition but no strength, get weak and lose flesh. If such conditions are permitted to continue, serious results are sure to follow: Bright's dis-ease, the very worst form of kidney trouble, may steal upon you.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalency of kidney disease. While keiney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient and physicians, who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects, while the original disease constantly

Manager Miller says he visited that cornfield last week, digging up the pennant pole, and found all his players but Bowen. That Iamous gold brick seemed to be hiding in some woodchuck's hole, but he has come out A Trial Will Convince Anyone. If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of now, as he was seen talking to Larkie recently.

our sickness or run down condition, begin takling Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because as soon as your kidneys begin to get better, they will help the other organs to health. In taking Swamp-Root, you afford natural help to Nature for Swamp-Root is a gentle heating vegetable compound-a physician's prescription for a specific

The Sachems of the Falls have gathered up their players and are strong for the coming season. It has been stated that Charles Levarge was to have a team in the city league to represent the Falls, But we, the Sachems, have a little to say. We have as good a bunch of ballplayers as can be found right here in the Falls and that team will play on the Falls dia-You cannot get rid of your aches and pains if your kidneys are out of order. You cannot feel right when your kidneys are wrong,

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pacers now racing or in training go on and finish their careers would be doing full justice to "vested interests," while to bar all "green" horses this year or after this year would prevent the growth of a new and strong interest which now threatens to make trouble when it comes to the final enforcement of the new rule. Unless the National Trotting association at its next congress, in February, 1912, supplements its recent action by someplements its recent action by some-thing like a rule of this kind a split will not be surprising.

HARVARD MUST DO BETTER. Oarsmen Are Not Rowing in Proper Fashion.

A Montville backer of Tuckey telephoned the following challenge to The Bulletin on Monday:

Through the columns of The Bulletin, Thomas Tuckey of Montville challenges Captain Wicks of the Norwich hospital to a foot race either from New London to Norwich or of fifteen miles anywhere for a side bet of \$50. The intercity run is preferred by Tuckey, as that is where Wicks established his record. It is hoped that the hospital man will be agreeable. If so the principals can get together for the arrangements and have a forfelt posted with the Sporting Editor of The Bulletin.

Tuckey, who was born in Thompson-Harvard's varsity crew for the past week has been made up as follows: Stroke, R. W. Cutler, 1911; 7, J. E. Waid, 1910; 6, G. F. Newton, 1912; 5, Bulletin.

Tuckey, who was born in Thompsonville, this state, is 19 years old, five
feet nine and one-half inches tall and
weighs 121 pounds in running costume.
His previous experience in the running
game has been in Norwich and Willigame has been in Norwich and Willi-Last Memorial day he was the fair grounds here, dropping out after three and a half miles with a bad three mile races.

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Another After Road Record.

Wilbur Smith, who won the Marathon race at the armory last Tuesday night, will run to Norwich next Sunday from this city. Smith expects to do the run in good time; maybe as not as good time as the others, for he will not set out to do it. He just wants to see how close he can come to the will not set out to do it. He just wants to see how close he can come to the company Smith in an automobile.

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Abe the News and Norwich and Willing and the running absent from Cambridge the first foundays of last week. Metcalf, who had been tried Saturday at bow and had done week because of illness. Up till Thurss days the boat did not go very well; the men made a weak finish and were uncertain on their slides immediately before their catch. Friday, however, the boat went better than it has so far this year. The crew rowed down to the new bridge and back. On the return trip the men rowed in fairly good form from the new bridge to the Harvard bhidge, but the rest of the beat wash the company Smith in an automobile.

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The Boston Athletic association has adopted stringent rules for its four-teenth Marathon road run, which will be held on April 19. No athlete under 19 years old will be allowed to compete and every starter must be clad from the shoulder to the knees. Nourishment and massage may be given, but no competitor must be assisted to his feet. If he uses a wagon, bicycle or automobile he cannot again run on the course under the penalty of being suspended by the Amateur Athletic union. Neither must a competitor, either at the start or during the progress of the race, take any drug. Moreover, a man must at once retire from the race if ordered to do so by the chief physicaln. Each starter will be allowed two attendants, who must wear on the left arm the same distinctive number as the man they are caring for. the man they are caring for

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minutes. A protest arose from the 3,600 spectators and a riot was prevented only by the determined manner in
which the officers cleared the platform. Doctors who were in attendance advised the police that further
physical exertion on the part of the
dancers might result fatally. Seven
couples entered the contest and five
couples finished. Probably the most
remarkable feature of the performance
was the fortitude of J. A. West, who
is 54 years old. Aithough at times
during the night it seemed that his
struggle to continue was torturing
him, he waved his seconds aside and
kept it up. West's partner was a 16

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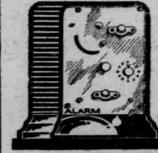
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THE HOUSEHOLD. 74 Franklin Street The Bulletin Building,

Months before the new rule relating to the abolishment of hopples in harness racing will be in even limited operation and almost simultaneous with the announcement of its enactment the periodicals of the trotting turf are asking whether the rule will ever become effective when it begins to bar hopples on horses of all ages. Doubts are expressed as to the power of the National Trotting association to enforce the rule without losing a large number of its members among the fair associations and half mile tracks, and the impression seems to be general associations and half mile tracks, and the impression seems to be general that as between the two horns of the dilemma the central organization will not hesitate to choose whatever course will keep its membership roll intact.

Departing from all plans that had been suggested for ridding the trotting turf of hoppled pacers, the recent congress of the N. T. A. framed the following rule: COTTON.

and Ohlo's acquisition of the Hocking Valley and the convertible bonds offered by Norfolk and Western are inspiring causes for the movements in those stocks. The railroad group as a whole had the benefit of very cheerful views of the railroad traffic situation coming from officials in charge of those departments.

The apprehension has been growing up that the money market may be subjected to a squeeze in connection with the April 1st settlements. Requirements at that time are normally large and there are special demands to be met at the coming settlement. The London stock market settlement happens to fall on the same date and the furious speculation that has been going on in rubber and oil shares in that market makes a very large account to meet. In the New York market new bond issues continue to appear, and preparations for others are in hand, promising definite extension of the needs of the money were accompanied today by a sharp advance in foreign exchange in consonance with the hardening of discounts in the London market. Bankers still discuss the likelihood of an outgo of gold in April from New York. The subscriptions to the New York city bond issue of \$50,000,000 in four and a quarter per cents, were awaited for with absorbing interest throughout the financial district. Provision was made for payment of interest to foreign subscribers both in pounds and france. It was felt that a striking success for the offering would give a marked impetus to the whole investment demand, while on the other hand a low price might prejudice the chances of other financing. The lack of definite knowledge of the average price realized kept the stock market in suspense to the last. The early decline in the older New York city bonds seemed a discouraging presage for the new. The large number of proposals, when announced before the bids were examined, had a more cheering effect and helped to the firm tone maintained in the excessive duliness of the later stock market.

Bonds were heavy, except for a few convertible issues for wh Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: March 14.93, April 14.88, May 14.85, June 14.64, July 14.62, August 14.13, September 13.34, October 12.89, November 12.72, December 12.72, January 12.68.

New York, March 21.—Money on call steady, 21-2@3 per cent., ruling rate 27-8, last loan 21-2, closing bid 27-8, offered at 3.

Time loans soft and fairly active; sixty days 4 per cent, ninety days 4@41-4, six months 4@41-4. CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

VERY DULL STOCK MARKET.

Large Operative Forces Seem to Have

Assumed a Waiting Attitude.

New York, March 21.—The excessive duliness into which the dealings in stocks fell today was ascribed to a waiting attitude on the part of the large operative forces. Various factors were assigned as the ground for this attitude, but it was noticeable that the clearing up of some of them in the course of the day had little or no effect in enlivening the speculation.

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MONEY.

Abe the Newsboy of New London re-ports that he intends to go to England next summer where he expects to have a chance to hook up with some of the good men in the boxing game. Inci-dentally Abe says he will do a little writing for the papers. BAN ON HOPPLES National Trotting Association Likely to Find Trouble in Enforcing New Rule.

New York, March 21.—Cotton spot closed quiet, ten points lower; mid-dling uplands 15.05, middling gulf 15.30. Sales, 6.199 bales.

MAY CAUSE SPLIT.

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"Hopples shall not be used in races or performances against time on two year olds or under in 1919, on three year olds or under in 1919, on three year olds or under in 1913, on six year olds or under in 1914, after which time hopples shall be barred in all races."

The purpose of this rule was to let the hoppled pacers now racing or in training finish out their careers with their value unimpaired and at the same time to head off the youngsters coming on, so that when the time limit expires, in 1914, only a handful of hopplers will remain to be affected by the final operation of the rule.

Whether it will work out according to the expectations of the rule makers remains to be seen. Although no pace foaled in or after 1903 can hereafter under the rule race in hopples, every trainer in the country is still free to start as many new hopples hories as before, provided they are of the remaining the provided they are of the remaining